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Vortragstitel: **Sustainability at Indiana State University**. Inhalt: Schritte und Erfahrungen der Indiana State University auf dem Weg zu einer CO2 Neutralität.

Vortragsort: Seminarraum 40130 (im GeiWi Turm in den ersten 1. Stock, weiter in den Durchgang zum Bruno-Sander-Haus und dort gleich am Anfang rechts in den kurzen Quergang, Raum auf der linken Seite des Quergangs)

Zeit: Donnerstag, 20.3.14, 15:00-16:30 Uhr

Ausführlicher Inhalt:

Abstract: Indiana State University signed on to the American Colleges and Universities Presidents Climate Commitment in 2007 which requires that the signatory schools create a carbon footprint analysis for their campus, develop a climate action plan, and commit to reaching carbon neutrality by 2050. We will be discussing our universities' journey toward carbon neutrality over the past 20 years. We will tell the story of some things that have worked well for us and our current push to study sustainability through the recently funded Institute for Community Sustainability that will apply empirical techniques to explore sustainable solutions for our university and the surrounding community.